

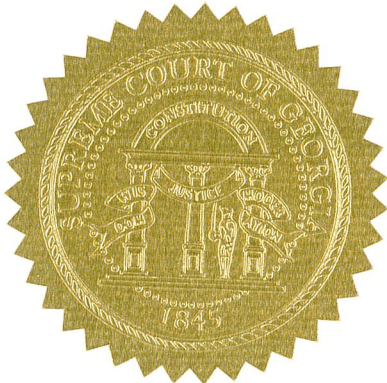


**Supreme Court  
State of Georgia**  
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I hereby certify that James Edward Schutz, Esq., was admitted on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2001, as a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of Georgia, the highest court of this State; and, since that date he has been and is now a member of this bar in good standing, as appears from the records and files in this office.

Witness my signature and the seal of this Court  
hereto affixed the day and year first above written.



*Thine S. Banne*, Clerk